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OCEAN STEAMER JUST ESCAPED FATE OF TITANIC

British Freighter Chiltern
Ridge in Collision With
an Iceberg.

Montreal, May 11.—The fate of the Titanic was narrowly escaped by the steamer Chiltern Ridge in a collision with an iceberg to the east of the New Foundland banks on her voyage from Hull to this port, where she arrived today.

The steamer, a British freighter, had her bow plates badly bent by a glancing blow she struck the berg and only the fact that she luckily slid off the ice mass and escaped contact with any sharp section of the underlying portion of it saved her from disaster, in Captain Rep's opinion.

The berg was struck in latitude 46°39' north and longitude 41°40' west, in the track of the ocean liners, but some distance to the north and east of the spot where the Titanic met her fate. After the collision the steamer was surrounded by icebergs which, although they could not be seen, evidenced their presence by the echoes which resounded from their towering sides at every blast from the steamer's whistle. Those on board regarded her escape from destruction as nothing short of miraculous.

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MARCH AND CAMP WEEK OF JUNE 9

Orders Issued for the State Troops to Rendezvous at Blue Job Mountain, Farmington

Military men and the public in general throughout the state will be interested to learn that general orders have been issued from the adjutant general's office for the annual six days' practice marches, camps of instruction and maneuvers, in the week of June 9.

The point of rendezvous will be Blue Job Mountain in Farmington, close to the home town of Governor Fletcher, and the several organizations will make the larger part of the journey from their home stations by marches.

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maneuvers. It is the intention of superior headquarters to have skirmishing with ball cartridges by all organizations armed with the rifle several times in the course of the six days and this practical use of the arms will also be required of such organizations armed with the revolver and the battery will have practice with shrapnel. Col. Babbidge will assign camp sites and supply depots.

The supplies on hand in the arsenals will be shipped to places, and other necessary supplies will be purchased. The transportation will be hired by the quartermaster's corps may be directed by the quartermaster general.

In the course of the respective practice marches, encampments and maneuvers, and inspections will be made by the officers of the inspector general's department and the detailed reports of such will be sent to the adjutant general's office.

The pay rolls of the several organizations must show the name of every officer and enlisted man in the command, and if for any reason he is not able to be present for duty the reason must appear after his name as "absent without leave" "absent, sick," and it is ordered that only those who were enlisted and whose names are on file in the office of the adjutant general prior to June 1 will receive pay.

The following officers of the general staff are detailed as mustering officers, in addition to such other duties as may be assigned to them, and will daily muster the organizations as follows:

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RAILROAD MEN CALLED TO FIGHT BIG FOREST FIRE

Help Summoned from Here on Saturday and Sunday to Fight Flames.

A fire which destroyed nearly 150 acres of woodland broke out Saturday afternoon at Randall's Crossing just west of North Berwick on the western route of the Boston & Maine. Every available track hand was sent from this city, Dover, Rochester and other nearby places to fight the blaze.

Breks Out Again Sunday

The railroad men succeeded in checking the flames late in the evening and were ordered home. A watchman left to look after the scene of the fire discovered the fire breaking out again on Sunday and again a call was sent to the same places for help. One hundred and fifty men were soon on the spot and after much hard work checked it for the second time. Besides the standing timber the owners of the property suffered a big loss on the wood that had been cut and piled up.

CLAIM FOR 35 CENTS.

United States Pays This to the State of New Hampshire.

The Commonwealth of New Hampshire today lodged a claim of \$5 cents against the federal government of the United States and the worst of it is the United States has to pay, notwithstanding that economy must be the watchword of the administration in the face of the tariff revision.

Zelous state authorities in an endeavor to save the brown tail moth nests invaded the back yard of the postoffice building at Dover, N. H., and discovered three brown tail moth nests in a lonely tree which sheds its shade upon the hard working postal employees of Dover during their rest periods.

Present Bill at Regular Rates

The state bugologists, without much ado destroyed the nests of the pernicious eggs, and moneymaking presented bill for 35 cents, evidently at the established rate of 15 cents for the first nest and ten cents for each of the others.

The postmaster protested vigorously with the declaration that he himself could have annihilated the moths without expense, if the state had pointed them out. An issue was threatened and the quarrel was referred to the treasury department.

Sherman Allen, Asst. Sec. of the Treasury who learned diplomacy as an assistant secretary to President Taft, conceded the point. After a formal bill and voucher are rendered a treasury warrant will be sent to the state.

WAS IT A JOKE?

Chandler and Blair Tip Off Hollis and Stevens.

Democrats members of Congress from New Hampshire were jokingly warned by former Republican Senators that they will not be in public life after the Underwood tariff bill is passed, at the annual banquet of the New Hampshire Association of Washington at the National Hotel.

Former Senators Blair and Chandler, with Senator Hollis and Representative Stevens, were speakers at the banquet.

Elmer E. Fisher, President of the association, introduced Charles Turner as toastmaster. About ninety natives of New Hampshire were present.

DEMAND REFUSED.

Boston & Maine Turns Down the Trackmen Once More.

The demand of 250 Boston & Maine trackmen who have been on strike at the North Station terminal for several weeks for a \$2 a day flat wage rate was refused by the company on Saturday.

There was a conference between a committee of the strikers and Chief Engineer A. B. Correll of the Boston & Maine, which lasted several hours and was held in Mr. Correll's office at the North Station.

It was stated that the fact was established that the railroad company had made an agreement with the trackmen's organization three years ago, a point which had been disputed by the railroad officials.

G. O. P. PLAN FOR REORGANIZATION

Important Meeting of Republicans Held in Chicago on Sunday

Chicago, May 11—Proposals to reorganize the Republican party were discussed at a conference here today between six Republican U. S. Senators and thirty-two other Republican leaders, representing nine states. The immediate subject before the conference was to what action shall be sought at the meeting of the Republican National Committee at Washington on May 24, looking toward reorganization of the party along progressive lines, and as to whether there shall be a Republican National Convention this year.

The conference lasted for more than four hours, and was held in a hotel overlooking the lake, in a room where the seven governors last year, drafted the letter, urging Colonel Roosevelt to be a candidate for the presidency. Although the public were not admitted, Senator Albert H. Cummins stated, it was merely an informal talk, a sort of round table discussion of what may be done for

the best interests of the party by reorganizing it along progressive lines.

Presided over by Senator L. Y. Sherman of Illinois, the discussion was participated in by Senators Cummings, William E. Borah, of Idaho; C. L. Crawford of South Dakota; A. J. Gronna of North Dakota; W. S. Kenyon of Iowa; Congressman E. A. Haynes of California; Congressman J. W. Good of Iowa; and members of the state legislature.

Somebody asked Senator Kenyon whether there was to be an effort made to get a new national committee.

"That subject did not come up, but most of us would have no objection if the present committee resigned," replied Senator Kenyon.

What did come up was a proposal to give the next committee take-offs

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FIRE STEAMER FOUND TO BE IN BAD SHAPE

Manchester Workmen En- gaged to Make Repairs to Steamer 1.

It has been extremely fortunate that Portsmouth has not been visited by a fire of any size during the past week as the fire apparatus has been found to be in a badly crippled condition.

Early last week steamer No. 3 was sent to Manchester to receive much needed repairs, and steamer No. 1 was sent to the Central station to take her place. Shortly after her arrival Engineer Jones decided to try the steamer out and soon found that she could not be depended upon and Chief Engineer Woods was notified. Workmen were summoned here from the repair shop at Manchester and it was found on examination that the steamer's valves had been allowed to go to waste. It is expected that the repairs will be completed so that the steamer can be given a try-out this Monday evening. A trial of Steamers Nos. 2 and 4 will also be made to determine their fitness for service in case of a big fire.

NEW UNIFORMS

For the Fire Fighters on Engine 1.

The fire company connected with Engine 1 will shortly appear in new glad rags. The uniforms will be furnished by F. W. Lydston & Co., and the Sagamore boys will be right out straight the next time they are seen on parade. The new regulation cap will be part of the rig.

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WHITE LAWN

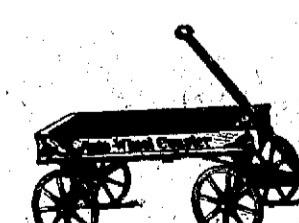
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HIGH SCHOOL DEFEAT SOMERSWORTH HIGH

Show Much Better Form--Portsmouth Independents Defeated at New Castle Sunday Afternoon.

The high school base ball team surprised and delighted the scholars of the school and others on Saturday by putting it over on the Somersworth high school team to the time of 13 to 2, and if it had not been for two errors it would have been a shut out. Badger pitched the entire distance and only allowed six hits. He has plenty of speed and kept the hits well scattered and if it had not been for Bennett's error and Jones' mix-up of a fly the visitors would not have scored.

Wright caught a good game and Bruce played a great game at second, accepting 14 chances and Harrington and Newton played fast ball. The score:

	Portsmouth	15th Company
Thompson	2	Empire, Brackett and Pugley. Time, 2h 15m.
Bruce	2	Time, 2h 15m.
Badger	0	0 2 1
Wright	0	0 3 0
Harrington	2	2 2 2 1
Newton	2	1 0 0
Gibson	0	0 0 0
Bennett	0	0 4 1 1
Gray	0	0 0 0
Hewitt	0	0 0 0
Jones	0	0 0 1
Total	12	18 6.6

	Portsmouth Ind.
Hughes	2
Kelley	0
Ladd	1 3 1 2
Hofferman	0
Pfeiffer	0
Dandeneau	0
Reagan	0
M. Reardon	0
Hurley	0
Haggerty	0
Whittemore	0
Pray	0
Day	1 3 0
Philibert	0
McGinn	0
Total	12 18 6.6

	Somersworth
R. Leonard	2
Lang	0
W. Leonard	0
Parsons	1
Holtie	2
Hurley	0
Haggerty	0
Whittemore	0
Pray	0
Day	1 3 0
Philibert	0
McGinn	0
Total	12 18 6.6

*Batted for Hurley in ninth. **Batted for Haggerty in ninth. Juddings 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 P. H. S. 2 6 0 1 0 0 0 3-12 S. D. N. 0 4 0 0 0 0 0 3-3 *Batu made by Thompson, 2; Bruce, Wright, Harrington, Newton, Gibson, Bennett, Gray, Hewitt, Jones, 3; Parsons, Bodine, McGinn.

Two home hits. Thompson, Three home hits, Wright, Stolen bases, Badger, 3; Newton, Gibson, Bennett, 2; Gray, Jones, R. Leonard, Day, three on bunts by Badger, 4; By Pray; by Day 8. Struck out by Badger 10; by Day 18. Double plays, Harrington and Bruce, Haggerty and Parsons, 10; by pitched ball, Badger, Jones, Wild pitch, Day 2. Passed ball, R. Philibert, 10.

There was a sharp shower at New Castle on Sunday afternoon but no rain fell in this city.

Travers, Marvelous Golfer, Winner of Many Championships, Going After the Remaining Titles and to Double on Some



THREE VIEWS OF JEROME D. TRAVERS
PHOTOS © 1913 BY AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

New York, May 12. Jerome D. Travers, winner of the United States and metropolitan titles last year, is not far from laurels. The Upper Montclair, N. J., club star has won about everything worth while in the golf title, but believes it would be well to grab what's left and double up on some others. Travers is in full form at present. Evidence of this will be furnished to anyone who will take the trouble to visit the Upper Montclair links and see him take the star members of his club into camp without stirring a hair. If Travers succeeds in retaining the Metropolitan golf championship to be played at Post Hills May 21-24 he will put the Metropolitan Association in the ex-

istence of providing a new trophy for the championship. At present, the winner of the title gains for his club the custody of the Chauncy trophy, which was presented some years ago by Daniel Chauncy, the President of the Metropolitan golf association. The conditions under which it was given provided that it shall remain in the custody of the club from which the player who wins the title enters for the year following his victory and that it shall be won by the same player representing the same club three times it then shall become the permanent property of that club. Two years ago, in 1911, Jerome Travers, representing the Upper Montclair, N. J., club for the first time won the Met-

ropolitan championship over the Carden City course, with Oswald Kirby once more being his opponent in the final round. As a result, the Upper Montclair Golf Club, which two years ago had never been heard of in the list of prominent clubs, has now held the Chauncy trophy for two years, and if Travers wins the event this season the club will acquire permanent possession of the trophy, which is one of the most handsome of many prizes open to competition to golfers of this country. Pictures show favorite strokes of Travers. One on left shows top of swing with brace; one in center, finish of mashie niblick shot; one on right, chance for mashie niblick shot.

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on soon after its election so that it might pass upon credentials of the delegates to the 1912 convention.

The conference brought together the largest assemblage of Republican leaders in Chicago since last year's convention. When the meeting adjourned for the day, Senator Sherman gave out what he said was a compact of the disbandon.

"We considered," he said whether the national committee should be as inflexible in character as it has been. The opinion was that the committee would be amenable to public opinion and keep pace with what is going on. There was no definite action on the question of calling a national convention this year. A call, of course, would have to come from the national committee. The question then arose as to whether the committee would issue a call and we felt that the committee would yield to the sentiment of Republicans generally on that point, as last year's election was a pretty positive indication that radical changes would be made.

We agreed that southern representation in the convention should be cut down, according to the strength of the party in each southern state. We did not take up the detail as to how this should be done, but left that to be worked out later.

Presidential primaries were not considered, but I think we are all agreed as being in favor of them. Our whole conference was merely informal, permitting us a free and easy interchange of views as to ways and means of reorganization of the party as some of progressive Republicans see it.

Senator Cummins who has been here since yesterday, arranging for the meeting, was asked why the formal meeting was put off until tomorrow to await former Governor Padilla's arrival.

"Well," he said, "our meeting tomorrow won't be anything more than a continuation of today's meeting only on account of it being Sunday, we did not want to transact what might be considered business."

Aunt of Barrett Wendell

Mrs. Sarah Doran Barrett had lived in West Cedar Street for fifty-nine years.

Mrs. Sarah Doran Barrett, aunt of Professor Barrett Wendell of Har-

vard and this city died Saturday morning at her home at 80 West Cedar street, Boston, where she had lived for fifty-nine years. She was the daughter of the late Augustus Barrett, and on her mother's side was descended from John Doran, who was a prominent merchant. She leaves no immediate family.

BOSTON THEATRE.

Royal Drama Charms—Holds Audience as in Days Gone By—Roles Are in Capable Hands—Edward L. Snader Especially Pleasing as Uncle Joes—Incidental Music a Strong Feature.

Once more Denman Thompson's "The Old Homestead" is refreshing Bostonians with its clean wholesomeness, its beloved melodies and its honest pathos and humor, and the Boston theatre is playing to capacity houses nightly with admirers of this ever-popular play.

The production is in its twenty-fifth season, but somehow the same charm lingers and the pictures of New England rural life take the same hold on emotions as in the years gone by. The "homely" atmosphere of the New Hampshire farm and the double quartet of farm hands with their songs and melodies of old time, bring a sudden burst to the eyes and a pull on the heartstrings, and audiences have fallen under the spell just as audiences did a quarter of a century ago.

The part of Uncle Joes is in the capable hands of Edward L. Snader, and

the lovable old soul, with his quaint humor and kindly shrewdness, is well portrayed. For the rest of the cast the roles are mostly taken by old friends in the parts, and long acting in them has brought a matronly charm much to the vim and "readiness."

The supporting company is excellent in every particular. Mrs. Mugg Harvey as Aunt Matilda could not be improved upon. She invests the part of the gentle spinster with just the right modicum of quiet humor. Miss Minnie Stanell as Hickey Ann and Earl Redding as Eb Guazey are a happy-go-lucky pair of mischievous youngsters no one would wish to see. Walter F. Kelley and Charles Clark as Cy Prime and Seth Perkins, the "boys" who have quarreled for thirty years and finally bury their hatchet in the woodpile, are both admirable, and Fred Clarke's Happy Jack is an excellent bit of acting. All the minor parts were well taken care of.

OBSEQUIES

Miss Elizabeth A. Whidden.

The funeral of Elizabeth A. Whidden was held at two o'clock Sunday afternoon, from her late home on Mid-Street, Rev. L. H. Thayer D. D. officiating. The pallbearers were E. H. Adams, Dr. C. Woodbury, John P. Sweetser. The body was placed in McKesson's tomb to await completion of the Whidden Mausoleum in Sagamore cemetery.

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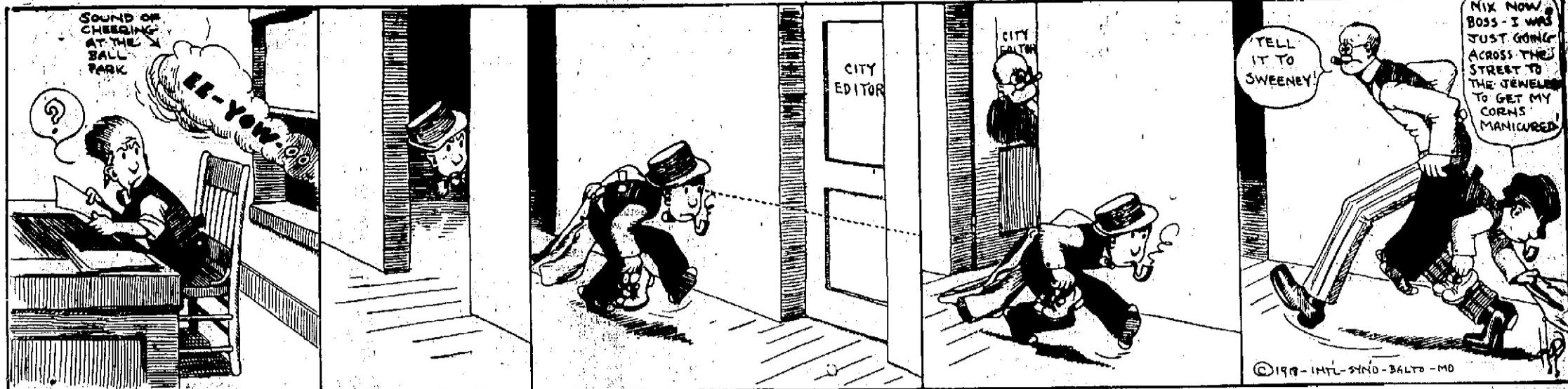
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CARPENTERS GO OUT ON STRIKE

Practically All the Men Quit at Noon Saturday--Both Sides Firm and Both Confident of a Victory.

The Union Carpenters went out on a strike at noon Saturday noon, as the Master Builders refused to grant their demand for 41 cents an hour and a forty-four week or Saturday afternoon off.

Practically all of the contractors were affected. All of the men of E. N. McNabb & Co. and S. S. Trauman went out. Edwin Patterson lost all but one. Albert R. Jenkins lost all but one. W. A. Hodgeson all of his men. Willis F. Kierman only lost one man. The Master Builders through their secretary state that "they will suspend work but will not give in to the demands, and that there is no break in the ranks of the Master Builders."

The Carpenter's Union through their secretary issued the following statement:

"Large, determined and representative membership of the Carpenters & Joiners Union, from this city, Rye, Greenland, Newington, Elliot, Kittery

and Newcastle responded to the strike call held at Socialist Hall, Saturday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The conference committee reported that three contractors, in compliance with the request of the Union, made January 25th last, had paid their men 41 cents an hour for the past week beginning May 6th and conceded the Saturday half holiday, thereby placing themselves in position to continue their jobs on Monday morning without loss of time to themselves or men, any delay in their work or inconvenience to their patrons."

The three contractors who have granted the demands are the Constructing Co., building the naval hospital at the navy yard, Oliver Locke and John Nowell of this city.

The Master Builders have been attempting the strike and it is understood that on all work started they have a strike clause in their contract.

Both sides seem determined to fight it out to a finish, and both appear confident of final victory.

Milton, Mass., executrix, with Elizabeth Brown, Portsmouth, agent.
Administration Granted.—In estates of Hunnah L. Kimball, East Kingston; H. Frank Kimball, administrator; Thomas J. Merritsey, Portsmouth; Michael A. Morrissey, administrator; James A. Sanborn, Portsmouth; Virginia Washburn, administratrix; John L. Brown, Seabrook; Leavitt B. Brown, administrator, waiting agent; Henry M. Chute, Windham, Marie J. Emperor, administratrix; Sarah A. Lindsay, North Hampton; George L. Garlond, administrator; Fred P. Moses, Georgina W. Phelan, administratrix et al., d. b. n.

Accounts Settled.—In estates of Caroline J. Knight, Atkinson; Silas W. Bradley, Newmarket; Charles E. Simpson, Portsmouth.

Inventories Approved.—In estates of Hugh E. Webb, Derry; Albert F. Tebbets, Newmarket; Dianthus J. Knight, Salem; George W. Batchelder, Derry; Mary L. Hazlett, Portsmouth; George E. Kimball, Candia; Woodbury M. Durbin, Northwood; Lulu A. Stanford, Derry.

Receipts Filed.—In estates of Mary H. Sullivan, Exeter; Silas W. Bradley, Newmarket; Patrick Connors, Exeter; Henry Clark, Windham.

License Granted.—To sell real property, estates of Mary L. Hazlett, Portsmouth; William J. Dunn, Kingsbury; Elmore L. Dearborn, Hampton; Earl B. Brown, Newburyport; Oliver Tonie, Hampton; personal property, estates of Dinh E. Knight, Salem; John C. Martin, New York, to transfer stocks, estate of Charles E. Simpson, Portsmouth.

Allowance Granted.—In estate of George W. Batchelder, Derry to widow.

Appraisers Appointed.—In estates of Daniel Sanborn, Exeter; Emma T. Couch, Raymond.

Guardian Appointed.—Richard E. Shute over Henry A. Cunningham, Exeter.

Jests Filed.—Of heirs and legatees, estates of Hunnah L. Kimball, East Kingston; Jonathan J. Hill, Northwood; Thompson Barnes, Raymond; Elbridge G. Brown, Raymond; Charles Morrissey, Portsmouth; John Leavitt Brown, Seabrook; Henrietta M. Chute, Windham; George A. Mudge, Portsmouth; Ellen J. Ward, South Hampton; Margaret L. Stringer, Portsmouth.

Bonds Approved.—In estates of Daniel Sanborn, Exeter.

Filed.—Release of dower and homestead right, estate of George W. Batchelder, Derry; waiver of dower and homestead, estate of Wallace L. Kimball, Chester.

estate of Harriet Hill, East Kingston.

MCCARTHY'S FEAT OF 22 STRIKE OUTS THE RECORD FOR ALL NEW ENGLAND.

Pitching for the St. Anselm college second team on Wednesday against Wilton high, Francis McCarthy of Portland, Me., fanned out twenty-two batters. This is known to break all school and college records for New Hampshire, but the question is raised, "Is it the record for all New England?" This is an interesting question. It is believed that the record for Massachusetts is held by Spaulding or Clay, both of whom pitched for Dorchester high and later for advanced schools. But what is the record made by Spaulding or Clay? Did either of them achieve twenty-three strikeouts? Who is able to bring forward definite information in the matter of strikeout records?

The game in which McCarthy caused the twenty-two to whilst is the first game he has pitched this year. He will probably be given a tryout with the varsity at once on the strength of the performance. McCarthy was captain and pitcher on the Portland high school team of last year. It is said that Manager Company of the Chicago White Sox offered him a tryout.

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CONFESSED
TO ATTEMPT TRAIN
WRECKING

Reading, May 11.—On a charge of attempting to wreck Boston & Maine railroad trains by placing obstacles on the tracks, Fred L. Turner, aged 23 of Reading, was arrested Saturday.

According to the police Turner has confessed to several attempts at train wrecking in Wakefield and Reading during the past eight years, stating that his object was "to see the excitement."

Put Logs on Track.

In most of the cases logs were placed on the rails or fishplates in switches, but the obstructions were discovered before the arrival of a train. In one or two instances, trains passed over the fishplates, but were not derailed.

The last attempt to wreck a train was made two weeks ago, when logs were found on the rails a few hundred yards below the Reading station.

The discovery resulted from a telephone call to the Reading station, from an unknown party, who told where the obstructions were. Turner is alleged to have told the authorities that it was he who telephoned, as he became conscience-stricken soon after he had placed the logs on the rails.

A full-page letter was received by Agent Fred S. Chesley of the Reading railroad station, a few days ago, in which the sender said that he was the person who had made attempts

to wreck trains on the railroad near here. The writing of a number of suspected persons was examined and the arrest of Turner followed. He will be taken before the District Court at Woburn, Monday.

MUSICALE AT
ST. JOHN'S CHURCH

There was a large congregation present at St. John's church Sunday afternoon when the choir delightfully rendered Gounod's oratorio, in parts, the Ascension and Pentecost music. Mrs. Georgia Hill was in charge of the music and the regular quartette, Miss Borthwick soprano, Mrs. Outwater alto, Mrs. H. C. Howe tenor and Mr. Newell basso, were assisted by the following singers: Mrs. Gray, Mrs. Pelet, Miss Jarvis, Miss Newell, Miss Woods, Miss H. Woods, Mr. Allen, Mr. Whittier, Mr. Gray.

THE MURDER THAT BETH NICHOLS CONFERRED TO.

Indianapolis, May 11.—The trial of Dr. William B. Craig, dean of the Indiana Veterinary College, and Alonso M. Bagadale, an undertaker, under indictment for the murder of Dr. Helen Knabe, was set today for June 28.

Dr. Knabe was found dead in her bat Oct. 24, 1911, with her throat cut. The indictment was not returned by the grand jury until Dec. 31, 1912.

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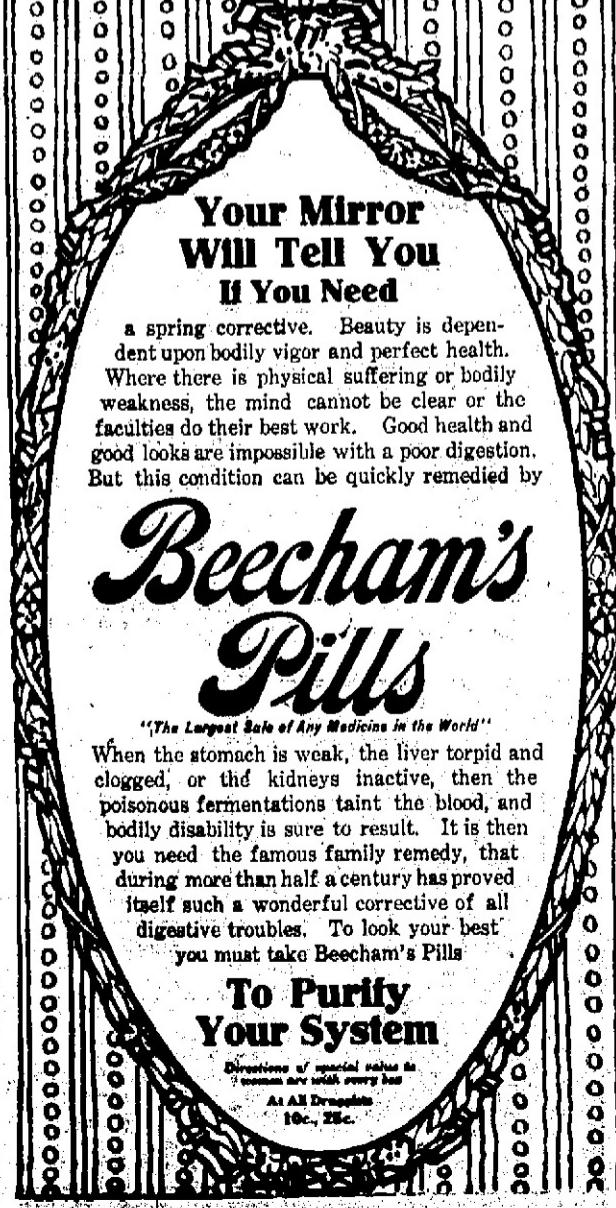
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UNION MAIL

Portsmouth, N. H., Monday, May 12, 1913.

Enduring Fast Day.

Now that we have all miraculously pulled through another Fast day, we may well consider whether the pain and exhaustion incident to the proper observance of the day is worth enduring yet another year. We say nothing of the strain of long-continued prayer, in which the cheerless and hungry hours of Fast Day are passed. In all seriousness, there was never a more ridiculous holiday on the calendar than this same Fast Day, as it now exists. Beautiful enough in its original conception, it has come to be anything but what its name implies.

It seems as if the best way to secure the dropping of a great person or event from the mind of man is to establish a holiday in memory of it. When one day in the year is set apart for remembering a thing, the other days of the year are equally set apart, it appears, for forgetting that thing. Moreover, the holiday itself is almost certain to become distorted from its intended purpose. Witness the amount of thought given to American independence on July Fourth; the slim services at the churches and fat services on our tables Thanksgiving Day; the little hatchets with which we tenderly allude to the immortal Washington on his birthday; and the almost commercial spirit which enters into much of our Christmas festivity.

The one holiday in the year which has entirely lost its meaning is Fast Day. The desirability of a "day off" at this time of year is unquestioned. In England there are holidays that do not pretend to commemorate anything. Just "bank holidays" they call them, and most of them fall on Monday, the best day of the week for laying off. A bank holiday now and then would be a pretty good thing in this country, where working people need far more time than they get for recreation and for keeping their houses and gardens in proper trim.

If it is desirable to appoint a day for fasting, let us appoint Fast Day on Good Friday, an occasion which is sure to be observed with deep religious sentiment by a large number of people.—National Eagle.

If Japan Fought Us.

Some of the people who are worrying about the drubbing the little brown men are going to give Uncle Sam might feel different would they make a study of the hard times now prevailing in Japan. After the war with Russia, the Japanese government set out to create economic independence, partly through a protective tariff and ship subsidies, but more particularly by direct government aid to manufacturing. Companies with capital aggregating hundreds of millions were organized. The government guaranteed the interest payment on many of these. For the time being this created a fictitious appearance of prosperity. Within the past year, however, it is seen that a nation, like an individual, can't live itself by its own bootstraps. The growth of manufacturing towns has led to the depletion of the agricultural districts. There are great sections where there are abandoned farms like those on the worn-out hills of New England. The result has been a distressing advance in the cost of rice, and half rations among the poor.

The condition of the Japanese farmer has become pathetic. In bad years his rice fields bring him \$24 per acre, which it cost \$36 to produce. Even in exceptionally good years, he does not clear more than \$1.50 per acre. Eighty-five per cent. of the farms are mortgaged.

The income of the Japanese people averages about \$23 per capita. Their taxes take \$4.40 out of this \$23. They are not in very good shape to invest in the costly playthings of war! It will take the Japs a generation to carry off the burdens of the Russian war, and to adjust themselves to the costly scale of living of modern civilization.

Von Moltke once said that he knew 1000 ways to get a German army into England, but not one to get it out. How much more true this would be in the case of a Japanese attack on this country.

War for Revenue Only.

The recent exposures in Germany of the extent to which great manufacturers of armaments and war material have worked to stir up war scares in order to get trade and promote army and navy increase have shocked Europe and the world; and whatever the errors in the details of the impeachment may prove to be, the conservative newspapers of Germany unite with the radical journals in recognizing the shameful character of the simple and undeniable facts. Nothing shown in the matter is worse than the share of the military party in the government itself in boozing the armaments business. But all this should occasion no wild surprise. It will be remembered how in Russia, when after the war with Japan the building of a monstrous new navy was proposed, Admiral Rozhdestvensky said that, although there was no excuse for the extravagant plans, the building was sure to take place because so many powerful interests would profit by it. The promotion of war scares in France in the interest of the aeroplane busi-

Deposed King Manuel of Portugal, His Bride to Be and Her Father



Photo by American Press Association.

The forthcoming marriage of Manuel, deposed king of Portugal, to Princess Augusta Victoria of Hohenzollern-Sigmaringen will be of great advantage to the former ruler of the Portuguese. It will strengthen his position in royalty through extending family alliances and is also expected to avert the financial trouble that seems to have been threatening him for some time. Manuel recently declared he expected to be restored to the throne of Portugal. The Royalists, however, have not made much headway toward overthrowing the republic. In this illustration are shown, from left to right, King Manuel, Princess Augusta Victoria and her Father, Prince Wilhelm of Hohenzollern-Sigmaringen.

ness is a matter of knowledge; and the mournful exposures are not all foreign. At home and abroad, the mixture and dominance of commercial motives in the awful game appear ever more appallingly; and the burdened peoples pay the bills, not only in portentous taxes, but in incessant and paralyzing unrest and fear. Is not this a time when, without exaggeration, but also without weak and unworthy palliation, our press and all makers of public opinion should bring home to the people is never before the waste and wickedness of the mad rivalry in tournaments in which the great nations are engaged today?

EDITORIAL OPINION.

Promises Not Idle Made.

The extreme care with which Mr. Morgan tried to remember everyone with the slightest claim upon him, and to provide for the host of unnamed private bondholders dependent upon him, is notable; and admiration is aroused by his instructions that all promises which he may have verbally made, and obligations assumed by him tacitly or by implication, which could not be proved legally in the courts, should be honored by his execution in case they should become insisted on in the genuineness of the claims. The man's fine personal integrity shines every time one of the instruments—Springfield Republican,

That Must Be It.

If it is true that Professor Moore, head of the Weather Bureau, was busy for months following election last fall in promoting his candidacy for secretary of agriculture instead of attending strictly to his duties, maybe the queer winter we had is accounted for.—*Syracuse Herald.*

Sure of a Few Good Voters.

"The Daughters of the American Revolution make such a spirited use of the ballot in their own organization that it is certain they will never probably neglect to vote if women suffrage becomes general.—*St. Louis Globe-Democrat.*

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reaches even into the Philippines. The extension of the provisions of the income tax clause of the tariff act to the Philippine moves Commissioner Quezon to protest that this is taxation without representation, since he and his colleague Mr. Earnshaw have no votes. The point ordinarily would be considered well taken, but at present the necessity of saving agriculturists everywhere is imperative. Commissioner Quezon is told that the rich in the Philippines must be taxed by the United States in order to aid "the poor farmers" who are held to have suffered by the abolition of the export duties on their products. How farmers are injured by being given freedom of export for their products, we may or may not learn in due time. Statements should not be hurried. They are entitled to all the time required to devise a plausible excuse for legislation that is contradictory. Meanwhile the earnest purpose of all parties to "do something for the farmer" will suffer no diminution. Wherever there is a farmer, there is at least one man who is cheered in his toil by the knowledge that 96 senators and 335 representatives only wait to know what he wants done to do it.—*Boston Transcript.*

Prepare for Fly Time.
Mild weather in winter and spring has its disadvantages. It allows the fly to breed early. The only recourse of the housekeepers is to begin at least as early as the fly. Keep the garbage can covered, and keep it clean. Make liberal use of carbolic acid. Three tablespoonsfuls of a 5% per cent. solution of carbolic in a quart of water will kill eggs of the fly, and the same mixture sprinkled over garbage discourages the buzzing pests in their quest for dinner. The health department of Chicago puts the case tersely: "No flies, no flies." Do your part in abolishing flies and see that your neighbor does likewise; and there will be a decided drop in intestinal diseases of children during the coming hot season.—*Chicago Journal.*

POPULAR SINGER LEAVES PORTSMOUTH

Ralph Parker, for many years, one of the most popular singers in Portsmouth has left the city. He was a popular clerk at the G. W. French store for fifteen years. He is at present located in Portland, Me.

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M. T. W.

CONCORD LETTER

Concord, May 12—The house of representatives once more has fixed a date for final adjournment, this time choosing May 16, Friday of the present week, at 5 p.m. The senate has assigned the resolution to this effect for consideration as a special order tomorrow and at this writing, there is a possibility, though not a strong probability, that the length of the 1913 session will be 20 weeks. But unless there is a larger attendance or better progress, than was the case last week the session will stay with us until June 6, which would just equal the record for length of the famous of infamous session of 1887.

At the end of the 18th week of this session, there had been 881 measures introduced, with enough more promised to at least reach the 900 mark. Of these 300 had passed both branches, 303 had been killed in the house, senate or executive chamber and 189, or 21 per cent, were still active and demanding some sort of action upon them.

The interest of last week, and the same will be true of this week, centered about the progress made by the administration programme. On this line Governor Polk made another innovation during the week by sending Lieut. Governor Sawyer as Hon. W. L. Sawyer of the executive council is frequently called, into a session of the senate to explain some amendments which he desired to the so-called court bill. The amendments however were not adopted.

Both of the Governor's vetoes of bills for cross state trunk line construction were sustained by the house on Wednesday. On the million dollar bill 181 votes for the veto and 149 for the bill. On the Southern New Hampshire bill the majority was the other way, 166 to 121, but as a two thirds vote is required to pass the bill over the governor's veto, that measure is just as dead as the other. The governor now has introduced a bill providing for the completion of the north and south trunk lines at an expense of \$300,000. Whether the friends of the cross state will attempt to amend it or not remains to be seen.

The most important of the governor's bills which have thus far passed both branches of the legislature abolishes the boards of trustees of the state hospital, state sanatorium, state school for feeble minded and state industrial school and establishes in their place a board of control to be composed of the governor, the secretary of the state board of charities and correction, a purchasing agent of \$3,000 a year and two other members at \$8 a day.

The senate killed the administration measure abolishing the forestry and agricultural departments, but later passed a new bill creating a new agricultural department and reviving the forestry department as it now is. Another new bill of the week from the governor combines the tax and license commission in one body. The bank commissioner, police court, police commission, fishing game commission and session law publication measures are in order for action in the house along with others mentioned.

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Another very important new matter the consideration of which practically will begin with the 20th week of the session proposes the exemption from taxation of growing timber. A conference of those interested in this matter was held last week with the purpose of securing a re-enactment of the constitutional convention but General Eastman of Exeter stated his belief that such exemption should be granted legally by act of the legislature, and by vote of the conference he drafted a bill to this end.

When he sought unanimous permission to introduce the bill on Thursday Mr. O'Neill of Walpole objected. The bill was got in, however, through the judiciary committee, and while Mr. O'Neill demanded a roll call it was read twice and tabbed for printing. As Mr. O'Neill announces his determination to fight the matter to a finish this is likely to furnish some of the liveliest minutes of this week.

The senate has passed appropriation bills from the house for a statue of Franklin Pierce, and for roads in Kinsman, Noeck, Jefferson, Ellington and Osceola, and other bills raising the state tax, and increasing the salaries of the justices of the supreme and superior courts, and the members of the public service commission. It settled the weekly payment of wages bill, for a special order this week.

The house passed appropriations of \$12,070 for the state sanatorium at Glenville; \$15,000 for the Pembroke Sanatorium, this after one of the hottestights of the week; and other sums for the state hospital, state college, and Daniel Webster birthplace.

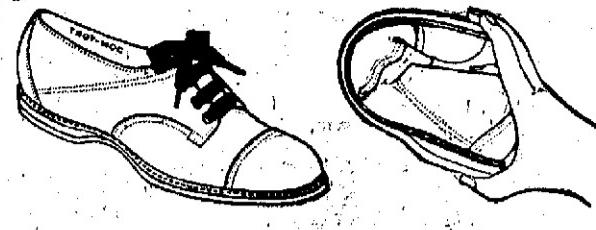
The house killed after a lively debate, the bill providing for compulsory school supervision; a reforestation measure; and an appropriation for state aid for the Hampton breakwater.

The Republicans fought the Democrats and Progressives through four more roll calls on the Portsmouth registration measure, but were beaten finally, of course, and the bill passed.

The conference committee on the grey squirrel bill reached an agreement which both branches voted continuing the present protection of the animals for six years, but giving consent to the killing of the animals when they are doing damage to crops.

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Important measures, the consideration of which was begun last week, but put over without final action until this week, include workmen's compensation, weights and measures; an appropriation of \$40,000 for hospital accommodations at the state prison; establishing new rules of evidence in the courts; extending the powers of the state department of public instruction; and creating a board of improvements and conservation.

EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

Love is thin when faults are thick.

Good schools, good churches and good roads never fail to make a good city.

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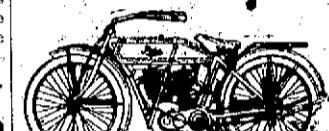
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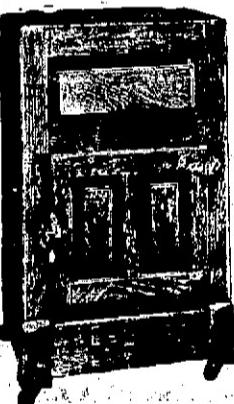
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KITTERY POINT

What Is Happening In the Harbor Town.

The S. S. Fancy Work Club were pleasantly entertained on Friday evening by Miss Edith Sewards, Sullen:

Schooner Alberta, British, for Liverpool, N. S.

Schooner Freddie Eaton, Boston for Calais,

Schooner Lillian and Estelle for Gloucester.

Schooner Dominion, British, Lynn, Mass., for Shubie, N. S.

Miss Margaret Fletcher pleasantly entertained the S. V. Club on Friday evening.

Miss Lillian Walker is visiting friends in Boston.

Curtis Chick has resumed his duties at the navy yard, after nearly a year's absence on account of an accident.

Miss Alice Pinkham of Rochester, N. H., is the guest of her sister, Mrs. Harry Roberts.

Miss Amy Thompson returned from a visit to relatives in Biddeford, Me., on Sunday.

The Five Hundred Club was pleasantly entertained on Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Chester Pierce. Prizes were awarded as follows:

Ladies First—Mrs. Luther Lewis, Jr.

Second—Mrs. Perley Tobey.

Third—Mrs. Thurston Patch.

Gentlemen's First—Stephen Blake.

Second—Luther Lewis.

Third—Thurston Patch.

The large steam yacht Cherokee, owned by Mrs. John S. Kennedy of New York, arrived on Saturday and is the first yacht to enter the harbor this season. She has been laid up at Winter Harbor, Me., and is bound to New York to be furnished with a new boiler.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil L. Sewards of Dover, N. H., were Sunday visitors to the former's parents, Captain and Mrs. Horace Sewards.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas B. Emery, Mrs. Annie Brooks and Norman Emery of York, visited relatives in town on Friday in Mr. Emery's auto.

Judson G. Irish visited his daughter Mrs. James Adams in Dover, N. H., on Saturday.

Harry McKenney has resumed his duties at the navy yard after a brief vacation.

Miss Doris Phillips is able to be out again after an illness.

Maurice Randall has returned to his duties in Attleboro, Mass., after a few weeks' visit to his parents Mr. and Mrs. Moses P. Randall.

Bret Lewis has resumed his duties at the A. S. R. R. power house. The Mitchell Grammar School baseball team was defeated by the York Grammar School team at York on Saturday, the score being 11 to 10.

Mr. Frank Call has returned to her home in North Berwick after visiting Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Dyer.

The Mitchell School intermediate team defeated the Wentworth School team by 9 to 0 at Kittery on Saturday.

Mrs. Hattie Fletcher of Portsmouth visited relatives in town on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Adams of Dover, N. H., spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Irish.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Carter of North Kittery were guests of friends in town on Sunday.

RYE NEWS

The schedule of events for the week are as follows:

Tuesday evening the regular Christian Endeavor prayer meeting will be held in the vicinity of both the Congregational churches. A better turnout and interest is desired.

Tuesday evening the local Grange will visit the Stratham Grange meeting in the Stratham town hall. The Stratham Grange will observe "Neighbors' night," and the Rye Grange will provide the entertainment, which includes the comedy drama entitled "Pa's New Housekeeper," given by a cast of local talent.

Wednesday evening the Ladies Aid of the Congregational church will hold a food sale and entertainment in Rye town hall. An entertainment will be provided by the children.

Wednesday, May 14, the East Rockingham Pomona Grange meeting will

be held at Epping. All Grangers strive to attend.

Thursday evening a number of young people of this town are planning to attend the Junior Order of United American Mechanics' anniversary at Hampton on Thursday and Thursday evening.

Boy's Club will meet in their club room on Friday evening.

General C. H. Chapman and family have arrived at Rye Beach and have reopened their summer residence for the season.

The Washington House at Jenness Beach has been leased by Charles E. Trafton to John M. Edmunds of Boston, the former owner of the Marden House at Rye Beach, which was destroyed by fire last season. The North Shore Realty Co. owns the Washington House.

Mrs. Adele Survey, who has been confined to her home by illness for several weeks, is much improved and she is now able to be out again.

Mr. Roseon Berry, while at his work on the estate of Arthur Astor Cory at Little Harbor, fell and fractured his ankle last week. He is now confined to his home and his many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Some of the summer residents of the colony at Rye Beach have already arrived and reopened their houses for the summer.

Mrs. Cora Marshall has returned home from Portsmouth where she has been staying with her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Donald A. Marshall, during the sickness of their son, Col. Lee and son, Frank, of Lowell, Mass., passed the weekend at their cottage at Rye Neck Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brewster and family of Portsmouth have reopened their summer cottage at Foss Beach, and have taken occupancy therein for the summer.

A party of the members of the rugged Neck Country Club spent the weekend at their club house at Rye Neck.

Laelvith A. Relich's cottage at Jenness Beach was opened over Sunday.

Miss Maudie H. Thwing, teacher of East school, entertained her sister of Georgetown, Mass., over the weekend.

The funeral of Mrs. Rebecca (Philbrick) Jones was held at the Advent Church in Rye Sunday and was largely attended by relatives and friends. Rev. Mrs. A. A. Nutt of South Berwick, Me., officiated. The burial was in the family lot under the direction of Undertaker O. W. Ham. The floral tributes were as follows: Spray of pink with ribbon inscribed "Mother"; Miss Grace Jones; flat bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Philbrick; Miss Blanche M. Philbrick; flat bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. Moses Philbrick and children; flat bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Philbrick; mound, Mrs. Emma J. Philbrick; Miss Annie Philbrick; mound, Mr. and Mrs. Shirley S. Philbrick; bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. Millette; bouquet, Mr. and Mrs. James F. Brown.

Rye Grangers are looking forward to a visit to Stratham next Tuesday night. About forty are going in a motor party. They are to furnish the following program at Wimbleton Grange: Piano duet, Misses Jeannine and Evelyn Drake; reading, "The Mission of the Grange"; Mrs. Florence Jenness; vocal solo, Mrs. Edith Rand; essay, "Sunny and Shady Sides of Farm Life"; Miss Norma M. Sharpless; violin solo, Miss Evelyn Drake; paper, "The Ideal Home"; Mrs. Emily Jenness; pantomime, "Wanted a Wife"; Topic, "Curry Chorus, Grange club."

The entertainment and food sale which is to be held in the Rye town hall next Wednesday evening under the direction of the Ladies Aid Society of the Congregational church, promises to be a great success. Six young men have volunteered the town and sold a great many tickets. The proceeds from the sale will go to reduce the debt contracted at the time of re-decorating the church and as the object is undoubtedly a worthy one the townsmen have duly responded.

The following program will be enjoyed by a large audience: Topsy Turvy Chorus, Sixteen girls; vocal selections, Lyric quartet; reading, Mr. Flaherty; violin solo, Mr. Philbrick; May Pole dance, sixteen girls; vocal solo, Miss Anne Drake; vocal selections, Lyric quartet; reading, Mr. Flaherty; living pictures, Ideal Club; vocal solo, Mr. Cook. Refreshments of ice, cake and coffee will be on sale in the dining room. The Lyric quartet of Portsmouth will be greatly enjoyed by music lovers.

KITTERY

Breezy Items From the Village Across the River.

Riverside Lodge No. 72, I. O. O. F., meets this evening at Odd Fellows' Hall. The initiatory degree will be conferred.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Barnard of Exeter passed Sunday with relatives in town.

Miss Eleanor Jones of Dame street and Miss Marion Heulin of Wentworth street are ill with the measles. Mrs. Helen Johnson and Miss Maud Moulton of Love Lane passed Saturday in Dover.

On Thursday evening occurs the Old Folks' Concert and many are pleasantly anticipating it.

R. A. Bills passed Sunday with friends in York.

The Ladies Aid of the Second Methodist church will meet in the vestry on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock.

The W. C. T. U. will meet Wednesday afternoon with Miss Julie Duncan of the Intervale.

Mrs. Frank Robbins of Rogers road is reported as being ill.

On Wednesday evening, Crystal Chapter, Epworth League, will observe the anniversary of the order, and have as its guests the leagues of other M. E. churches in the vicinity. Ten new members have just been admitted to the local league, which is very encouraging.

Mrs. George Maneat and granddaughter, Miss Mildred Gerrish of Pride's Crossing, Mass., are passing a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gerrish.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Doherty and daughter, Miss Bernice of Salmon Falls, N. H., were visitors in town Sunday, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Gerry.

Aaron H. Brackett of Love Lane passed the week end with relatives in Springvale, Me.

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Walter Donnell of Lynn passed Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Donnell of Central street.

Miss Emily Shaw of Central street was the guest on Sunday of relatives at Chase Pond, York.

Gladys, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Critz of Love Lane was taken ill with scarletina on Sunday and the home has been quarantined.

Mrs. Rose Ardellen Davison will speak tonight at the Second Christian church at the Temperance meeting held under the auspices of the W. C. T. U.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Brown of Whitehall road are receiving congratulations on the birth of a son.

The regular meeting of the Ryerside Lodge, No. 72, I. O. O. F., will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock. The work will consist of the first and second degrees. There will be a lunch after the meeting.



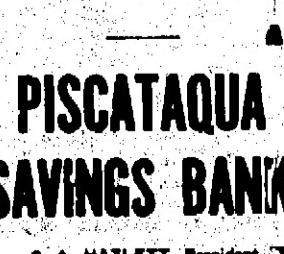
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ASSISTED IN LAYING CORNER STONE OF PYTHIAN TEMPLE

A good number of the members of Paxton Lodge, Knights of Pythias, and Lucifer Company, F. B. K. of P. of this city, went to Dover and took part in the laying of the corner stone of the new Pythian building which is being erected for Olive Branch Lodge No. 6 of that city.

It was one of the largest gathering of Pythians ever held in Dover and the exercises were witnessed by a large crowd.

Previous to the ceremony of laying the corner stone there was a parade of which Hubert K. Reynolds was chief marshal and George M. Stevens chief of staff. The line formed on Franklin Square with right resting on Broadway. The roster of the parade was:

Chief Marshal Hubert K. Reynolds and aids; Emery's Military Band; John A. Emery, director; Crescent Company Uniform Band Knights of Pythias; Norway Flutes Company, U. D. K. P. of Rochester; Lucifer Company of Portsmouth; Somersworth Company of Somersworth.

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Olive Branch Lodge No. 6 of Dover; Rising Sun Lodge No. 7 of Rochester; Dauphin Lodge No. 9 of Portsmouth; Sullivan Lodge, No. 35, of Durham; "Rhode" Lodge No. 39, East

Rochester; Quampegan Lodge of South Berwick, Me.; Berwick Lodge of Berwick, Me.

The line of march was down Central Avenue to the Pythian building. At the site of the building a platform had been erected and on this were the grand officers and prominent guests. The ceremony of laying the stone was the usual ritual of the Supreme Lodge, and it was carried out by the officers of the Grand Lodge of New Hampshire Pythians. The oration was delivered by Rev. Dayton G. Vogt pastor of the Prince Memorial church.

The following officers of the Grand Lodge of New Hampshire Pythians were present: Grand Chancellor George W. Hazeline of Concord; Grand Vice Chancellor Bertram G. Smith of Gorham; Grand Prelate Rev. H. E. Allen of Lawrence, Mass.; Grand Keeper of Record and Seal George K. Webster of Concord; Grand Master of Eschequer Frank J. Pillsbury of Concord; Grand Master at Arms Charles A. Frost of Manchester; Grand Inside Guard Everett Emerson of Alton; Grand Outside Guard Eugene B. Hayes of Farmington; Past Grand Chief Mary E. Wiggin of Dover; Grand Mistress of Hygeia, Mrs. Anna Sturwold of

GREAT STRIDES MADE ON CANCER CURE

Boston, May 11.—That he has apparently cured rabbits of cancer was the statement made by Dr. Howard W. Nowell of the Massachusetts Homeopathic Hospital yesterday. Furthermore Dr. Nowell stated that his experiments on 10 human beings were proving most encouraging and that enormous strides are being taken toward finding a cure for this dread disease, the second worst in the United States, being only exceeded in deadliness by consumption.

Dr. Nowell in no sense claims to have found a cure for cancer. He places special emphasis upon this fact in order that no unfortunate may be misled.

Han High Hopes.

But although he disclaims any intention of having discovered a cure, he does admit his researches along this line are proving successful, and even if he does not find a cure, others taking up the work will, and he hopes even he himself will be the one to make what will be the greatest medical discovery since the discovery of vaccination for smallpox.

It was only recently that Dr. Nowell who is assistant professor of pathology at the Boston University Medical School, announced he had succeeded in finding a chemical process for extracting the poison from a human malignant tumor and with this poison, obtained from rabbits, a serum which when mixed with the original poisonous substance in proper proportion of the tumor extract.

Dr. Nowell had previously announced he had succeeded in immunizing rabbits.

He now announces he has apparently cured rabbits.

It only remains to continue the work until applying and modifying the discovery, they will immunize and cure human beings.

That this will be accomplished the doctor has no doubt. If not by him, by someone else. If not in this country, in some other country. That he is on the right track is certain. There is nothing left to do but to continue the work along the lines already undertaken, and sooner or later this goal will be reached. When this occurs cancer (carcino) will take its place with smallpox and yellow fever, now almost negligible factors in the health of a civilized community.

Dr. Nowell conservatively uses the words "apparent cure" relating to his achievements. The doctor prefers the word "apparent" because some of his rabbits have a recurrence of the cancerous growth of which he has relieved them. So far not one single rabbit has had this happen. Still, the doctor says it is possible for this to happen.

For years Dr. Nowell has been engaged in his attempts to find a cure for cancer. For the last three weeks he has had 50 patients upon whom he has been experimenting with his rabbit serum.

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In response to demands from medical men and the public from all over the world Dr. Nowell has at last admitted his partial success, the bright prospects for the future, and consented to give the results of his last

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Berlin, N. H., May 11.—Fire destroyed the lumber plant of the Berlin Mill Company Saturday at a transformer house and several outbuildings, with a comparatively small loss between \$500,000 and \$600,000. It amount of manufactured lumber was reported that two men were missing. The extensive pulp and paper stables were saved. Much was called still property of the company was not from Lewiston and Portland.

A thousand men were thrown out of employment by the destruction of the plant. The company said it would take three or four months to rebuild.

Sparks from an electric motor in the big sawmill caught in some inflammable material, and the flames spread so quickly that many of the men had to jump out of the windows to escape.

The sawmill was the most modern type with a record for sawing 125,000 board feet of lumber an hour.

The nearest paper mill of the company was half a mile away, and was not seriously threatened. The fire was sold to be the largest in the north country part of New Hampshire in many years. The loss is covered by insurance.

Three weeks' treatment on human beings to the world.

All of the patients who are undergoing treatment at the Homeopathic Hospital have shown signs of improvement. In every case within from 48 to 96 hours after inoculation with the rabbit serum the patients, most of whom have been suffering the severest pain, have been relieved. In every case the use of opiates to deaden the pain after this period has been dispensed with. In every case the patient has shown marked improvement. In no case has the patient suffered any ill effects whatever. Each case being treated has been severe, recurrent and inoperable. Each patient had been surgically and microscopically examined, and there is no doubt that each person is suffering from cancer.

To Early to Judge.

Dr. Nowell, as yet, states it is too early to judge these cases and that at least a year must elapse before they can be intelligently reviewed. He says he cannot too strongly emphasize the importance of this work nor his hopes for the future, but at present he has not found a cure. There is no serum for sale and no patients will be taken except through the hospital under whose auspices the experiments are being carried on. No person is advised to try his treatment where surgery is possible.

He is treating the human patients just as he treated his rabbits, at five day intervals, making each injection personally. There is no charge, excepting the merely nominal charge of the hospital. The serum is free and no one connected with the work receives any money whatever.

With the construction of the new engineering building provided for by the state legislature, work on which will begin soon, additional room will be made available for the new department. It is expected that by this means further laboratory space and lecture facilities will be afforded so that as the new course enters its second year with increasing numbers its facilities provided for it will be ample.

Entrance requirements for the new course will doubtless be the same as those now prevailing in the other 4-year courses. High school certificates will admit students under ordinary conditions, or in lieu of a certificate the student can enter by passing satisfactory examinations in subjects covered by ordinary high school courses.

The outline of the new course provides both broad general training and selected technical studies immediate concern w/ domestic science and related subjects.

It is expected that students in the new course will be required to take general subjects along the following lines:

English and English Composition; one modern language; either French or German; a course in hydrology and hygiene; work in General Economics; complete work in Chemistry, which is considered the foundation of much of the advanced work that will be given in domestic science proper; Zoology or Botany, which are fundamental studies; and probably a course in Bacteriology.

After completing a part of those general studies the student will begin special training in domestic science and domestic art. These special subjects as planned will include the following:

Foods, their composition and nutritive value and the fundamental principles of cooking; house construction and sanitation; household management; the commercial manufacture of foods and the laws and principles regulating the sale of manufactured foods, including laws concerning adulteration; household finance, together with systems of household bookkeeping, the main facts of banking and related subjects; the planning and preparation of meals; an advanced course in the chemistry of nutrition following the general course in chemistry and leading to special work in the principles governing the preparation of foods for invalids and for children; in subjects that are properly classified with domestic art it is planned to give work as follows: the principles of house furnishings and decorations; the fundamentals of textiles including design, dye and weave; of fabrics and their adaptability to various uses; the design and drafting of garments and the methods of manufacturing the same, both in factory and by hand.

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the state to its young people should take as much account of the needs of its young women as it does of the demands of its young men. In the words of the president, "the state is not doing its duty to the young people within its care until it provides training for its young women as adequate to their needs as the training offered for many years to the young men."

The popularity of the new course among the young women of the state and of surrounding states is beyond question. There has been repeated and widespread demand for the addition of this department to the curriculum of the state college for a number of years. It is felt that New Hampshire has made a strong move in taking the lead among the upper New England states in providing the new department.

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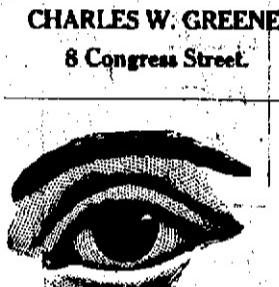
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BIG REDUCTION IN B. & M. CREWS ORDERED

Concord, N. H., May 11.—Orders effecting a sweeping reduction in help in the engineering and bridge repairs of the Boston & Maine road went into effect on Friday, and many men are out of work in consequence.

Under the order the section and steel crew not only here, but all over the system, are reduced to the winter basis, and extensive cuts have been made in the engineering department. Five of the staff of Engineer Frank A. Merrill of this division have been laid off, and in the Nashua office 12 of the 19 men were discharged Friday night at the close of work.

The department of bridges and buildings is also included in the retrenchment order. Forty seven men, including carpenters and painters were laid off last night, and all work not absolutely necessary has been ordered stopped.

At late the local office of this department has been engaged in driving piles for the erection of a temporary bridge across the Merrimack at Epsom to carry the traffic on the Suncook Valley branch until a new double track bridge could be erected in place of the present wooden structure. Under orders from Boston work has been suspended and the men laid off.

It is estimated about 50 blackmen have been laid off as a result of the order, and it is stated that more are to follow.

Several engineers have been sent back to firing in this city and the yard crews have been reduced as far as possible. It is understood here that large number of foremen have been laid off on other divisions, the Pittsburgh sustaining a cut of 55.

No orders for curtailment have yet reached the shops here, but no new men are being taken on, and the places of men leaving are not filled.

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